

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

Will Convene in Muskogee on May 2 and 3.

A large attendance is expected at the third annual convention of the Indian Territory Sunday School Association which will be held at Muskogee at the First M. E. Church South, May 2 and 3. Committees have been appointed to take care of the delegates and furnish them with entertainment. The program follows:

TUESDAY AFTERNOON.
2:30—Preparatory Service—Led by Rev. T. L. Lallance.

1. Gathering and Greeting by the Superintendents of Sunday Schools of Muskogee.
2. Registration.
3. Meeting Executive Committee.
- 2:45—A Conference With the Great Teacher.
- 3:00—The Key Note of the Convention—Rev. G. W. Snodgrass.
- 3:30—Primary Hour—Mrs. Mary Foster Bryner.
- 4:15—Address, "The Pastor's Duty to the Child"—W. S. Wiley.

TUESDAY EVENING.
8:00—Service of Song—Led by Local Committee.

- a. "We Are Glad You Came,"—By the Mayor of Muskogee.
- b. "So Are We,"—Geo. J. McClure.
- 8:20—Address, "The Child We Teach,"—Mary Foster Bryner, of Illinois.

WEDNESDAY FORENOON.
General Subject—"Reaching the Child."

- 8:30—Service of Song—Led by Local Leader.
- 9:00—Quiet Hour With the Word—Rev. J. K. Thompson.
- 9:20—"What Jesus Says About Doing,"—Rev. E. H. Mosely, of Colgate.
- 9:45—Special Aids to the School—Mary Foster Bryner.

1. The Home Department.
 2. House-to-House Visitation.
 3. Cradle Roll.
 4. The Messenger Service.
- A portion of this hour will be devoted to open conference.

- 11:00—"The King's Business."
1. Report of Officers.
2. Report of Committees.
3. Plans for the New Year.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON.
General Subject—"Keeping the Child in School."

- 2:30—Primary Workers' Conference—Led by Mary Foster Bryner.
- 2:50—Service of Song.
- 2:15—Quiet Hour With the Word—Rev. T. C. Carlton.

- 2:30—The Normal Class—Rev. J. E. Pershing.
- 3:00—The Teacher Before the Class—Rev. J. F. Watson.

- 3:05—Everybody's Hour, Two Minute Speeches—Conducted by W. S. Wiley.
- 3:35—Unfinished Business.
- 4:00—Primary Hour—Mrs. Bryner.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.
7:30—Service of Song.

- 8:00—Address, "Through Field Glasses,"—Mary Foster Bryner.
- 8:45—Last Words—Rev. Evans.

New Frisco Time Table

On April 16th the Frisco System will place a new time card in effect by which considerable improvement in the schedule is effected. A new fast train will be added from Memphis to Kansas City, leaving Memphis about 7 a. m. and reaching Kansas City the same evening at 10:50. A new sleeping car line will be established between Kansas City and Eureka Springs, via Pittsburg, Carthage and Monett, leaving Kansas City at 11:30 p. m., arriving Eureka Springs 9:30 a. m. On the return trip this car will leave Eureka Springs at 5:20 p. m., arrive in Kansas City 7:30 a. m. A new train will be established between Lawton and Oklahoma City, leaving Lawton early in the morning and returning leave Oklahoma City that evening.

Lost His Hair.

Last night a prisoner was brought down from Afton by Ben Hallum and another man. The train reached here at about 1 o'clock in the morning and their man was taken to the jail. When they parted company with him at the jail door he wore a fine suit of raven black hair of which he was apparently very proud. When the prisoner was brought out this morning for a hearing in Commissioner Standfield's court his hair was gone, as is the rule in Captain Wilkinson's hostelry his hair was cut close to the scalp. Hallum and his friend had to look close before they could identify the man so changed was his appearance.

BOARD OF PHARMACY.

Holding Its Regular Quarterly Meeting Here.

The Territorial Board of Pharmacy is holding its first quarterly meeting of this year in the Cherokee club rooms in this city this week.

This board is composed of the following members: L. Mathews, president, Miami; H. D. Kniseley, secretary, Checotah; H. C. Cobb, treasurer, Muskogee; Frank C. Savage, Hartshorn; and W. O. Strother, Centralia. The board was appointed by Judge Raymond in compliance with the law regulating the practice of pharmacy in the Indian Territory, passed April 28, 1904.

The attention of the board will be directed today to the applications of pharmacists for registration. About thirteen of these have already been filed.

A Night's Rest.

The greatest tonic on earth is a good night's rest. Restless nights and the terrible exhaustion of a hacking cough are dread dangers of the poor consumptive. But why this fear of the night when a few doses of Dr. Boshier's German Syrup will insure refreshing sleep, entirely free from cough or night sweat? Free expectation in the morning is made certain by taking German Syrup. It has cured consumption for forty years. Trial bottle, 25c. Big bottles, 75c. At Wimer Drug store. dw

JOPLIN VS. VINITA.

These Two Teams Engaged In Game At Sportsman Park.

The Joplin Base Ball team arrived on the noon Frisco and are endeavoring to administer a defeat to the locals. The Joplin team is not as heavy as the one of last season, but is said to be a much faster team, having defeated the St. Joseph team of the Western league four games out of five. Tomorrow Henry Daye, Vinita's Indian pitcher, will be pitted against Sammy Morris, Joplin's famous "Injun." The weather is a little too cold yet for a first-class quality of ball, but both teams are strong enough to make an interesting contest.

Cures Coughs and Colds

Mrs. C. Peterson, 625 Lake St., Topeka, Kas., says: "Of all cough remedies, Ballard's Horehound Syrup is my favorite. It has done and will do all that is claimed for it. To speedily cure all coughs and colds, and it is so sweet and pleasant to the taste." 25c, 50c, \$1.00 bottle. Sold by Peoples Drug Store. dw

PASSING OF RACE ISSUE.

Almost Universal Tolerance Has Come About in the Last Century.

In the twelfth chapter of the Book of Judges it is told how the Gileadites slew forty and two thousand Ephraimites at the passage of Jordan because they pronounced "shibboleth." "shibboleth." That was a "race issue," says the San Francisco Argonaut. By their faulty speech the forty and two thousands proved themselves to be of another race, and they were slain. Read ancient history and learn that in the dark backward and ahym of time the hand of every man of one race was against the hand of every man of all other races. Strange meant enemy, alien meant foe. Then the race issue was at its strongest. Centuries have passed. Almost universal tolerance has come about. While races still preserve their national identity, ingress and egress are for the most part free and open. The sons of one race mate freely with the daughters of another. Without loss of caste or taint of dishonor, a French girl may marry a Neapolitan, a Swiss maiden a Prussian youth, a Norwegian a German, a Spaniard a Portuguese, an Englishman a Scot. The population of the United States is an amazing composite of these and other races.

BEE'S LAXATIVE HONEY AND TAR

The Original Laxative Cough Syrup. Moves the Bowels—works all cold out of the system. Best for Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchial Affections, Asthma and Weak Lungs. NO OPIATES. Prepared by FINEBULE MED. CO., CHICAGO. Sold By A. P. OWENS.

THEY READ THE ADS.

A Queer Mistake Caused Considerable Excitement.

In yesterday's Daily Chieftain a mistake occurred in one of the large advertisements; the name of Wright-Milford Shoe Co., was placed under Badgett-Sanders advertisement.

Just how the mistake happened to occur is not known, except that business was very rushing in the office all day, the ad man had his hands full, and the error slipped passed on the blind side of the pressman. It brought us one consolation, however—the vivid realization that the Chieftain subscribers read the daily advertisements. The mistake was not noticed at the office until the carriers had gone out on their routes and then the central girl got busy with 44, and from that on until 6:30 they kept it up. "What's the matter with Badgett-Sander's ad?" "That a bad break you made in B-S's ad." "What's the matter with you fellows up there, must have been down to Oklahoma City? You don't mean to say that Wright-Milford are selling Knox hats do you?"

The last one to call up was a lady. Her voice was soft and cultured, but her lady-like tones were tinged with sarcasm and anxiety as she said: "For pity sakes, are Wright-Milfords selling millinery too? I don't think its fair, and I'd like to see a hat that they had—Oh, a mistake is it? Well, I claim that's a dinger." And so it went on. It turned out that both firms got more advertising out of it than if the mistake hadn't happened, but it required considerable talking to get the matter straightened out.

Forget About Your Stomach

If your digestion is bad the vital organs of your body are not fed and nourished as the should be. They grow weak and invite disease. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat, cures indigestion and all stomach troubles. You forget you have a stomach from the very day you begin taking it. This is because it gets a rest—recuperates and gradually grows so strong and healthy that it troubles you no more. Sold by Peoples Drug Store. dw

Brown Leghorn Chickens.

Pure bred Brown Leghorn eggs 60c per setting of fifteen. Leave orders with J. T. Ratcliff. dw

Pneumonia Is Robbed of Its Terrors

By Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the racking cough and heals and strengthens the lungs. If taken in time it will prevent an attack of pneumonia. Refuse substitutes Sold by Peoples Drug Store. dw

Repairs at Sea.

The latest addition to the American navy is a floating machine shop for repair of warships at sea. This has been constructed and equipped with the necessities of the modern war fleet, far from its regular base, in mind. In the Spanish-American war many of our warships were sent from Cuban waters to Key West to coal. Since then improvements have been made that enable battleships and smaller vessels to coal at sea, a most important matter in time of war. If the new floating machine shop comes up to expectations a battle fleet may establish a temporary base near a scene of action and change it to meet the exigencies of an engagement.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Still Safer.

The eminent statesman wrote a confidential letter to a constituent. He read it carefully through. Then he added, "P. S.—Burn this." Then he held the letter up and looked at the postscript. "That's good advice," he said. And he burned it himself.—Chicago Tribune.

In the Natural Way.

During a session of the supreme court of Maine at Augusta a tedious and complicated real estate case had pretty nearly worn out the patience of the counsel on both sides. One of the lawyers engaged was Fred A. Appleton, whose fame as a wit was widespread.

Opposing him was a lawyer of pompous men and much avortupia, who kept making blunder after blunder, until even the judge became irritated. After making a particularly aggravating error, he said: "I beg your honor's pardon; that was another mistake. I seem to be inoculated with dullness to-day." "Inoculated, brother?" said Mr. Appleton, "I thought you had it in the natural way."—N. Y. Herald.

Never!

Orator (excitedly)—The British lion, whether it is roaming the deserts of India, or climbing the forests of Canada, will not draw in its horn or retire into its shell.—Tit-Bits.

Early Risers

The famous little pills. For sale at People's drug store.

Men's and Women's Headwear.



Our Magnificent Display of bewitching **Easter MILLINERY** should be thoroughly studied before definitely deciding on that new Easter hat. We have now on display dozens of new Gage hats, each one a clever and becoming Millinery creation, illustrating the best ideas of the most authentic fashion remodelers.

Men's KNOX HATS are made by the foremost fashionable hatters of the U. S. With the Knox trade mark goes the assurance that it is an advanced style and equal to all in quality and workmanship.
Knox Brand, soft and derbies.....\$5.00
Beacon Brand, soft and derbies..... 3.00
P. S.—See styles in our west window.

Badgett-Sanders Mercantile Co
VINITA'S BIG DEPARTMENT STORE.

TO EQUALIZE EXPANSION.

French Inventor Discovers a New Alloy Which Has This Effect in Metals.

By the discovery of a new alloy after much experimenting a French inventor claims he will be able to effect a saving of \$150,000 every year in the making of watches alone. The great discrepancy in the expansion of metals on heating, says an authority, has often proved a trying experience to metal workers, and is further complicated by the fact that in making alloys the change with temperature is often found to be quite different from a mere average of the constituent metals. But in the new alloy, a composition of nickel and iron, containing 38 per cent of the former, the expansion under heat is barely more than quartz, which is almost immeasurably small. Already it has found favor with the French authorities for use in surveying instruments, where variations in climate render accurate measurements difficult. A far more general application will be found, however, in the case of clocks and watches. Regulation of the swing of the pendulum under the variations of summer and winter temperature is usually made by arranging a strip of some highly expansible metal to increase upwards from the bob on heating, so keeping the length constant. While this proves satisfactory, the new alloy promises to relieve the difficulty involved in the adjustment of such pendulums.

DONE BY MEN PAST FORTY

Fame Won by Some of the World's Most Noted After They Had Passed That Age.

Beginning with Demosthenes, we find that the great Athenian delivered his oratorical masterpieces—the orations "On the Crown"—at 54, writes Rev. Thomas B. Gregory, in New York American.

Aristotle did his greatest work after 50, and Plato after 55.

Chaucer wrote the "Canterbury Tales" and other famous works after 40.

Spinoza wrote his epoch-making book after he was 42.

Lawrence Sterne wrote "Tristram Shandy" when he was 47.

Cervantes was 50 when he began to write the immortal "Don Quixote."

Defoe was 54 when he gave the world "Robinson Crusoe."

Oliver Cromwell did not begin his wonderful lifework until he was 43.

Titian was over 40 when he began work on the renowned masterpiece, "The Assumption of the Madonna."

Leonardo da Vinci, who, we are told, comes nearest to being history's "universal genius," was 45 years old when he painted "The Last Supper."

Sir Christopher Wren designed St. Paul's cathedral at 46 and the towers of Westminster abbey at 80.

John Hunter, the celebrated physician, wrote his greatest treatise when 66 years of age.

Pasteur was 53 before he fairly got to work on his hydrophobia cure.

Morse was 41 when he gave the world the telegraph.

Past 40, too, was Mohammed before he began to write the Koran and to organize the scattered tribes into Islam.

Mommsen was on the shady side of 40 when he wrote his monumental history of Rome, and the other great German historian, Ranke, did not begin his "History of the World" until he was 80.

TOOT QUICKLY WARNED OFF.

English Jockey Club Takes Stringent Measures with Interlopers.

There is no more powerful autocratic body than the Jockey club, who control the welfare of the English turf with laws which are as inexorable as those of the Medes and Persians. There is absolutely no appeal from the decisions of this turf senate, which, although a self-constituted authority, exercise extraordinary powers. They inflict heavy fines for contravention of their cast-iron rules, and these penalties are always promptly paid. They warn prominent personages off the turf, and this is really an extremely severe punishment which carries with it automatically banishment from participation in racing in other countries. As long ago as 1821 they "warned off" a "tout" who was caught watching a trial gallop through a telescope.

Very Good Reason Why the Mare Could Not Trot a Mile in Three Minutes.

Not far from Willow Grove lives a young farmer whose fine stock of horses are admired by all who see them. The other day a friend, an amateur, called on him in search of "something fast," writes the Philadelphia Ledger.

"There," said the stock farm owner, pointing to an animal in the field, "there, sir, is a mare that could trot her mile in three minutes were it not for one thing."

"Indeed?" said his friend.

"Yes," continued Mr. S., "she was four years old last spring, is in good condition, looks well, and is a first rate mare, and she could go a mile in three minutes were it not for one thing."

"What is it?" was the query.

"That mare," insisted the owner, "is in every way a good mare. I work her three or four days a week. She trots fair and square, and yet there is one thing that prevents her from going a mile in three minutes."

"What in the name of thunder is it?" cried the friend, impatiently.

"Well," replied the other, quietly, "the distance is too great for the time."

Chronic Bronchitis Cured.

"For ten years I had chronic bronchitis so bad that at times I could not speak above a whisper," writes Mr. Joseph Coffman, of Montmorenci, Ind. "I tried all remedies available, but with no success. Fortunately my employer suggested that I try Foley's Honey and Tar. Its effect was almost miraculous, and I am now cured of the disease. On my recommendation many people have used Foley's Honey and Tar, and always with satisfaction. Sold by Peoples Drug Store. dw

Cured Consumption

Mrs. W. B. Evans, Charwater, Kan., writes: "My husband lay sick for three months. The doctors said he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup, and it cured him. That was six years ago and since then we have always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For coughs and colds it has no equal." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. At Peoples drug store. dw

The Best Place to Buy Shoes is at the Shoe Store.

White Canvass Tennis Shoes and Oxfords. White Flannel Tennis Caps. Base Ball Shoes.

Wright-Milford Shoe Co's

Have now in stock all these Goods so eagerly watched for By our local athletes.

Princess Oxfords (rubber in the front) also in. See the stylish, low-priced Oxfords.

Watch the Shoe Store Grow, Grow, Grow.